



Frank Rodger Slaughter (Rod) passed away unexpectedly on January 13, 2003 at the age of 57 from complications of advanced melanoma following surgery which, at the time, was thought to have been successful. Rod graduated from Burges High School and The University of Texas at El Paso with a degree in Political Science. He was employed as a Health Advisor for the Centers for Disease Control for 33 years and was "counting down" the days until retirement meant he could play golf any day of the week! He is survived by his second wife Toni, his first wife Karen Slaughter and their children Kelly (Andrea) Slaughter, Kim (Scott) Wood, Kerri (Chris) Freeman and by his sister and brother-in-law Carol and David Entsminger. At the time of his death he was assigned to Maricopa County and living with Toni in Phoenix. He will also be greatly missed by his seven grandchildren and many nieces and nephews. Rod will be remembered as loving his family, the state of Texas, golf and his battered Isuzu--not always in that order! He was taken too soon and is missed every day.



Official meeting of the Juarez Bombers. The Submarine in Juarez 1965.

Rod with his first wife, Karen, Johnny Stong, Johnny Valles and Tim Gahan.